

Spring 2019

Dear Members of the Class of 2020 and Parents/Guardians:

As junior year draws to a close, it is important to begin preparations for your senior year at South Park. One of the first items you should consider is to make the necessary arrangements for your senior photo session. In order to make sure that your photo makes it into next year's yearbook, it is highly recommended that you schedule your senior photo session during the summer.

To ensure that your senior photo experience is both pleasant and worthwhile, Aquila would like you to review the following requirements before setting out to have your picture taken for the yearbook. All photos must meet the following requirements:

- Color digital photo, 1.5" x 2"
- At least 300 dpi
- RGB JPEG format
- **Head and shoulders pose only – please no bare shoulders or hands in your picture**
- **No hats, no props, no sunglasses**
- **Formal dress/business casual is requested**
- **A plain background is suggested**
- All pictures will need to be submitted to the yearbook staff in room 114 on a CD or via email (juliet.highberger@sparksd.org).
- Submissions must be received **no later than Friday, November 1st.**

Please note that if the deadline or photo specifications are not met, your senior image *may not be included* in South Park's yearbook, the 2019-2020 edition of Aquila.

For your information, South Park High School has a contract with **M&M Photography** (4934 Library Road, Bethel Park) to photograph the high school's underclassmen, staff, student organizations, and athletic teams. In exchange for these photography privileges, Aquila **strongly encourages** you to patronize M&M for your senior portrait as well.

Ultimately, it is your decision as to where you should have your senior photo taken. It is also your responsibility to ensure that a digital copy of your photo is sent to the yearbook room. M&M sends all senior photos taken at its studio directly to the high school. If you choose a studio other than M&M, you will need to check if the studio you selected provides this service. If necessary, you may drop off a CD containing the digital image at the high school's main office yourself.

Senior year is a true milestone in every person's life. Help Aquila represent your graduating class accurately by taking the appropriate steps in getting your senior picture taken in a professional and timely fashion.

Best of luck in the upcoming school year!

Sincerely,

The Aquila Staff